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FOLLOWING REPEAT RANGOON 1400 ACTION SINGAPORE INFO SECSTATE
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QUOTE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG BM CH US

SUBJECT: OFFSHORE OIL

REF: RANGOON 1361

1. PRC EMBASSY CANCELLED WEDNESDAY APPOINTMENT WITH HATLEY AT
LAST MOMENT. TELEPHONE INQUIRY TO PRC EMBASSY THURSDAY BROUGHT
RESPONSE THAT COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR VERY BUSY AND COULD NOT BE
LOCATED. HATLEY CONCLUDED PRC EMBASSY HAD LOST INTEREST AND
DEPARTED RANGOON MAY 24.

2. WE HAVE NO IDEA WHAT CAUSED SUDDEN EVAPORATION OF PRC
EMBASSY'S INTEREST IN MEETING US OILCOMPANY REPS BUT WILL
REPORT FURTHER IF EXPLANATION COMES TO LIGHT, OR IF PRC
EMBASSY'S INTEREST REVIVES.

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3. ACTION REQUESTED: SINGAPORE PLEASE INFORM ROBERT ELSTON OF

ARCO (WHOM WE HAD ALERTED TO PRC INTEREST) OF PRC EMBASSY'S
LOSS OF INTEREST AND TELL HIM WE WILL BE IN TOUCH IF INTEREST
REVIVES. PLEASE SIMILARLY INFORM ANY OTHER OIL COMPANIES WHO
HAVE INQUIRED ABOUT CONTACTS WITH PRC'S RANGOON EMBASSY.
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UNQUOTE RUSH

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